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State Museum Winter Youth Activities

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The Friends of the Alaska State Museum will continue its series of youth workshops with *Creating Museum-Art Cards* on Wednesday December 20 with artist Elizabeth Knecht. Students will explore the museum to seek out details and themes to inspire unique art cards based on the museum's exhibits. A variety of colorful textures, images, stamps and drawing implements will be provided to help kids create their cards and museum facts can be added to the back. Time will be set aside to trade and collect with the other students participating. Everyone will have museum art cards to display at home and give as special miniature gifts to friends and family.

A morning workshop from 10 a.m. to noon and an afternoon workshop from 1 p.m. -3 p.m. will be held for students in grades K - 8.

Pre-register by calling the Alaska State Museum at 465-2901.

This series of workshops is funded in part by the citizens of the City and Borough of Juneau through sales tax revenue.

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